

Solitude Standing

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INTRO : **Bbm Bbm9**

(**Bbm Bbm9**)

Solitude stands by the window
She turns her head as I walk in the room
I can see by her eyes she s been waiting
Standing in the slant of the late afternoon
And she turns to me with her hand extended

Gm4/7 **Bbm9/E C#7+ Cm7 C#7+ Eb Bbm Bb9**

Her palm is split with a flower with a flame

Cm7 C#7+ Eb Bbm Bb9

(**Bbm Bbm9**)

Solitude stands in the doorway
And I m struck once again by her black silhouette
By her long cool stare and her silence
I suddenly remember each time we ve met
And she turns to me with her hand extended

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G# F#
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Bb9 G# F#
And she says ;I ve come to lighten this dark heart ;

Dm C Bb9
And she takes my wrist, I feel her imprint of fear

Dm C Bb9
And I say ;I ve never thought of finding you here ;

(**Bbm9**)

I turn to the crowd as they re watching e- chords.com
They re sitting all together in the dark in the warm
I wanted to be in there among them
I see how their eyes are gathered into one
And then she turns to me with her hand extended

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